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In response to the Final Office Action dated August 19, 2005, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on November 19, 2005, Applicants request continued examination. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/WEAT/0389 \$790.00 for an RCE and for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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